GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

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INCREASE IN FLIGHTS FROM AURANGABAD
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to increase the frequency of regular flights to Aurangabad keeping in view the tourist centre of Ajanta and Ellora;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether the Government propose to invite private airlines in this regard; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHRIPAD Y. NAIK)

(a), (b) and (c): At present, no such proposal is under consideration of the Government. The existing traffic carried by Indian Airlines between Delhi and Aurangabad as well as Mumbai and Aurangabad do not warrant increase in the frequency of operations to/from Aurangabad.

(d) and (e): Airline Operators are, free to operate on any sector subject to compliance with the Route Dispersal Guidelines.